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Sir:

In response to the Office Action mailed June 22, 2006 and the Advisory Action, mailed September 8, 2006, Applicants respectfully request that the Examiner reconsider the above-captioned patent application in view of the following:

**Amendments to the Specification** begin on page 2 of this paper.

**Amendments to the Claims** are reflected in the listing of claims that begins on page 4 of this paper.

**Request for Reconsideration** begins on page 6 of this paper.

**Remarks** begin on page 7 of this paper.

**Conclusion** begins on page 11 of this paper.